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In re Application of: )

Williams et al. )

Application No: 09/183,732 )

Filed: October 30, 1998 )

For: Method and Apparatus for Channel )

Surfing Through Multiple Sources )

Based on User-Definable Preferences )

Examiner: Koenig, A.

Art Unit: 2611

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 22, 2002, applicants respectfully request the Examiner to enter the following amendment and to consider the following remark.

AMENDMENT

In the claims:

Presented below are the claims, as amended, with changes entered and not marked.

- Sub D17  
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1. (Amended) A computerized method comprising:  
receiving a user identification;  
searching a set of user-definable preference lists that each identify a plurality of channels from a plurality of different sources, each source providing at least one channel

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SIR: Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above application.

- Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)		(Col. 3)	SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
	Claims Remaining After Amd.		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	*33	Minus	**32	1	X9	\$ 0	X18	\$ 18.00
Indep. Claims	*6	Minus	***5	1	X40	\$ 0	X84	\$ 84.00
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim(s)					+130	\$ 0	+260	\$ 0
					Total Add. Fee	\$ 0	Total Add. Fee	\$ 102.00

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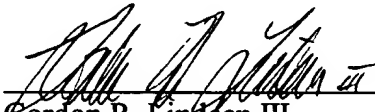
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## FEE CALCULATION

### 1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	Fee Paid
Code	Fee (\$)	Code	Fee (\$)		
101	740	201	370	Utility application filing fee	_____
106	330	206	165	Design application filing fee	_____
107	510	207	255	Plant filing fee	_____
108	740	208	370	Reissue filing fee	_____
114	160	214	80	Provisional application filing fee	_____

SUBTOTAL (1) \$ 0.00

### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

			Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	<u>32</u>	- 32** =	<u>0</u>	X <u>18.00</u>	= <u>0.00</u>
Independent Claims	<u>5</u>	- 5** =	<u>0</u>	X <u>84.00</u>	= <u>0.00</u>
Multiple Dependent					= _____

\*\*Or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see below.

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description
Code	Fee (\$)	Code	Fee (\$)	
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	84	202	42	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	280	204	140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	84	209	42	**Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) \$ 0.00

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**FEE CALCULATION (continued)****3. ADDITIONAL FEES**

<u>Large Entity</u>		<u>Small Entity</u>		<u>Fee Description</u>	<u>Fee Paid</u>
<u>Fee Code</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Code</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>		
105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for ex-parte reexamination	
099	8,800	099	8,800	Request for inter partes reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for response within first month	
116	400	216	200	Extension for response within second month	
117	920	217	460	Extension for response within third month	
118	1,440	218	720	Extension for response within fourth month	
128	1,960	228	980	Extension for response within fifth month	
119	320	219	160	Notice of Appeal	
120	320	220	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	280	221	140	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive unavoidably abandoned application or unavoidably delayed payment of issue fee	
141	1,280	241	640	Petition to revive unintentionally abandoned application or unintentionally delayed payment of issue fee	
142	1,280	242	640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	460	243	230	Design issue fee	
144	620	244	310	Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146	740	246	370	For filing a submission after final rejection (see 37 CFR 1.129(a))	
149	740	249	370	For each additional invention to be examined (see 37 CFR 1.129(b))	
179	740	279	370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	
Other fee (specify)		<u>Presentation of Additional Claims</u>			<u>102.00</u>
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